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In re Application of:

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For: **Methods For The Electronic  
Annotation, Retrieval, And Use  
Of Electronic Images**

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### Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application

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Sir:

In Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed on  
November 14, 2001 (copy enclosed), Applicants respectfully submit the enclosed:

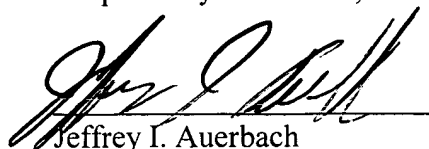
1. Statutory Late Filing Fee in the amount of **\$65.00**
2. Declaration; and
3. Assignment;

Applicants respectfully submit that no fee in addition to that provided herein is  
required for consideration of this submission. Should that determination be incorrect, the  
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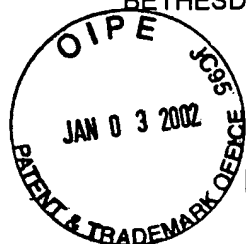
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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# Fee Transmittal for FY 2002

Application No: **0976,362**  
 Filing Date: **October 15, 2001**  
 First Named Inventor: **Schneiderman, B.**  
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 Attorney Docket No. **07512.110**

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## Method of Payment

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. **50-0548**  
 [Account Name: **Liniak, Berenato, Longacre & White, LLC**];  
☐ all indicated fees;  
☒ any additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17;  
☒ Applicant claims SMALL ENTITY Status

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed  
☒ Check No. **\_\_\_\_\_**

## Fee Calculation

### 1. Basic Filing Fee (☒ Fee Previously Paid)

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370	Utility Filing Fee	
106	320	206	160	Design Filing Fee	
107	490	207	245	Plant Filing Fee	
108	710	208	355	Reissue Filing Fee	
114	150	214	75	Provisional Filing Fee	

**SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 0**

### 2. Extra Claim Fee

Total Claims	36	- 20 or - no. previously paid = 36	0	Fee \$9	Fee Paid \$ 0
Indep. Claims	6	- 3 or - no. previously paid = 6	0	\$42	\$ 0
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103	18	203	9	Claims > 20
102	80	202	40	Indep. Claims >3
104	270	204	135	Mult. Dep. Claim
109	80	209	40	Reissue Claims > 20

**SUBTOTAL (2) \$ 0**

## Fee Calculation (continued)

### Additional Fees

Fee Code	Large Entity Fee	Fee Code	Small Entity Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge late filing fee or oath	\$ 65
127	50	227	25	Surcharge late prov. filing fee	
139	130	139	130	Non-English Specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	Request for Reexamination	
112	920	112	920	Publ. of SIR prior to Exmr. action	
113	1,840	113	1,840	Publication of SIR after to Exmr. action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for Reply 1 Month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for Reply 2 Months	
117	920	217	460	Extension for Reply 3 Months	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for Reply 4 Months	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for Reply 5 Months	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a Brief in support of Appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Initiate Public Use Proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to Revive Unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to Revive Unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility Issue Fee	
143	440	243	220	Design Issue Fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant Issue Fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing Fee (37 CFR 1.17(q))	
126	180	126	180	Submission of IDS	
581	40	581	40	Assignment Recordation	\$ 120
146	710	246	355	1.129(a) Submission	
149	710	249	355	Add'l inventions to be examined	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination	
169	900	169	900	Expedited Exam. Design appln.	

Other Fee Advanced Copies of Issued Patents \$

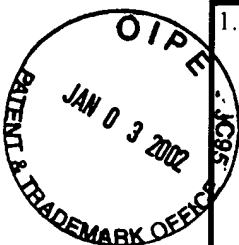
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